Rain Director®





WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- Rain Director® control panel with mode indicators, programming buttons and control valves and 230 V AC to 12 V wall adapter. Control panel measures 380mm W x 270mm H x 95mm D.
- 2 Cat 5 cable to connect junction box on header tank to underside of control panel.

 Do Not Cut!
- Smart header tank for roof space, including level sensors, float switch, Cat5 connection box and overflow tower. The 100 litre tank measures 600mm W x 490mm H x 500mm D.
- Flow reducing valves (in plastic pack) for use in Torbeck float valve if mains pressure is too great.
- Mains electric submersible pump (must be pressure-sensitive and equipped with non-return valve).



KEY TO THE CONTROL PANEL AND PIPE DIAMETERS:

- Refresh outlet to underground tank - 22mm.
- Rainwater inlet from pump 22mm.
 - Mains water inlet 15mm. U
- Refresh inlet from services 22mm.
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Rainwater outlet to header tank - 22mm.

- F Mains water outlet to header tank 15mm.
 - 12v power from wall adapter and Cat 5 cable to header tank. ט
- Mains water manual bypass valve.
- Rainwater valve and removable filter.



- Rainwater inlet from control unit 22mm.
 - Services outlet 22mm.

- 4 Top level sensor.
- **5** Bottom level sensor.
- 6 Overflow straight out of the house - 40mm.

















ESSENTIAL NOTES

Do not install the Rain Director in any way other than as given here and do not disassemble Rain Director components for installation. Incorrect installation invalidates the warranty.

- Do not get any dirt into the underground tank, header tank or pipes: risk of blockage in the solenoid valves.
- Do not cut or modify the supplied CAT 5 cable. Only use the cable supplied by Rainwater Harvesting Ltd. Longer cables are available upon request.
- The header tank must be fitted at least 1.2 metres above the control unit and highest toilet.
- The header tank must be fitted high enough to provide the pressure required for washing machines.
- Run all garden taps directly from the pump NOT from the header tank.
- Install all pipes and equipment where protected from frost.

- Install pipes to the control unit allowing sufficient movement for removal of the solenoids.
- All pipes should be thoroughly flushed prior to connecting to the system.
- Internal pipe work should be labelled as rainwater every 0.5m using label pack supplied.
- Either plastic or copper pipe may be used.
- Only cut the pipe using MDPE pipe cutters. Swarf caused by cutting pipe using a saw blocks the solenoids.
- should not flow upwards in any part of the piping between header tank and Only fit 22mm pipe or larger between the header tank and appliances. Water appliances. Avoid U's, inverted U's and unnecessary sharp bends.

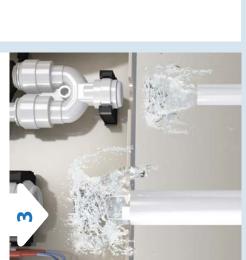
Locate the control unit where protected area. (at least 1.2m building on a wall in a frost the rainwater enters the below header tank)

for maintenance. Ensure the lid is secure and kept in place during installation. Keep dirt out! The header tank must be accessible Insulate if required.



min. 1.2m





water inlet (C) (via a shut-off valve) to mains inlet pipe (B) back to the pump, and mains Connect the refresh outlet pipe (A) back to the rainwater underground tank, rainwater water.

> and flush thoroughly. Ensure no dirt will enter the valves on the

control unit.

connected to the control unit Take all pipes that are to be

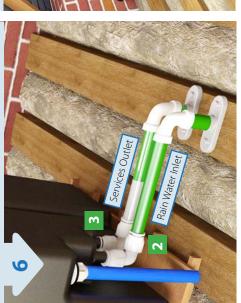
feed piping that's above the control unit for services, running from the services outlet (3) of the header tank, to the refresh inlet Connect any part of the 22mm gravity <u>6</u>

header tank (2) and mains water outlet (F) Connect the rainwater outlet (E) to the to the header tank (1). Use pipe fittings which will permit removal of solenoids.

unit (F) to the header tank mains water inlet Connect the mains outlet from the control (1) using 1/2 inch BSP. Mains Water Inlet

Connect the rainwater pipe to the rainwater inlet spigot (2) and connect the gravity feed pipe to the services outlet spigot (3).

Both designed to accept a 22mm push-fit fitting.



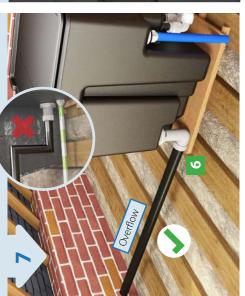
pipe diameter. Use 40mm waste pipe elbow, either house without obstruction, bends, or decreasing The overflow (6) must run straight out of the solvent or compression fitting.

the control unit (H) to partially Use the quarter turn valve on

fill the header tank.

Check thoroughly for leaks at

all connections.



rainwater light and mains water light flash alternately. Press the rainwater button to Commissioning has finished when the revert the system to rain mode.



commissioning sequence. Commissioning flashes. This process may take roughly one cycle has started when the bottom light Press the bottom two buttons to begin

and similar connector at the header connector (G) at the control unit Connect the Cat 5 cable to

Fully fill the header tank and unscrew services cap.

airlocks then replace cap ensuring that the black Wait for all air to leave the system to eliminate

Turn the quarter turn valve (H) back off.

washer under the cap is replaced.

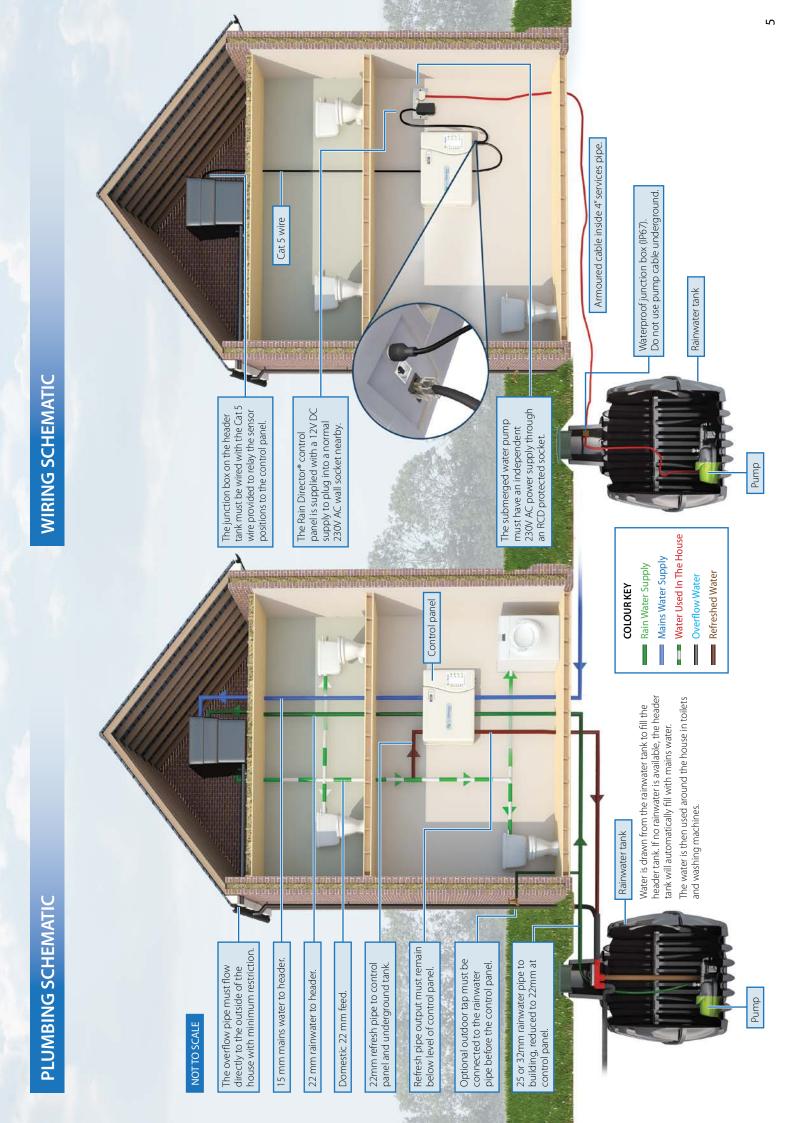
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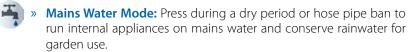


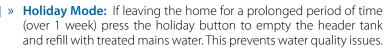




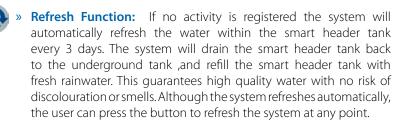








When the system is used again it will automatically revert back to Rain mode. It may be sensible to flush each toilet twice to leave treated water in the cistern and bowl.



Technical Support Line 01733 405 111 (opt. 3)

Problem	Probable cause	Remedy
Flashing red spanner light during initial switch on	Both float switches in low position	Part fill header tank (as per point 8) Check Cat 5 connection is secure.
Flashing red spanner during commissioning	Wiring fault	Check Cat 5 connection is secure, the wire provided with the system and has not been cut at any point.
Solid red spanner light during commissioning	Filling fault	Check Rainwater and mains water are available to the system, repeat process 9 to remove airlocks from the system. Clear solenoid valves (contact supplier).
Mains water or refresh solenoid constantly open	Solenoid blocked open	Clear solenoid (contact supplier).
Mains filling light showing during normal mode	Rainwater tank empty, pump not functioning	Check rainwater level in underground tank. If level high refer to pump guide.
Mains filling light showing despite rainwater working and filling first	Slow fill causing commissioning time-out	Check/clean rain solenoid (contact supplier) recommission system (refer to point 11).
No lights on circuit board	No power reaching PCB board	Check power to the Control unit, contact supplier for further advice if problem persists.
Toilets not filling/system airlocked	Water supply less than demand	Check plumbing for obstructions, remove booster pumps, REMOVE GARDEN TAPS DIRECT FROM HEADER TANK, repeat.
Header tank overflow to waste	Rain or Mains Solenoid blocked open	Clear solenoid (contact supplier).
Power cut in the home	Pump & control unit not functioning	Use the quarter turn valve (H) to bypass the system with mains water.
Poor rainwater flow into the header tank	Rain filter blocked	Check the filter on the rain feed valve (I) and remove dirt (turn off the pump first). Repeat after a week.

All components have been designed to comply with the UK Building Regulations and WRAS (Water Regulations Advisory Scheme). WRAS Approval No.0912064 was awarded in December 2009.





Rainwater Harvesting Ltd. certifies that the Rain Director® is compliant with the safety requirements of the Machine Directive 89/392/EC and amendments, of the Low Voltage Directive 73/23/EC and in the Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive 89/336/EC and amendments. The materials and manufacturing of this product are guaranteed for 2 years from the date of purchase if the installation instructions are complied with. In the event of an apparent fault, the retailer or installer should be contacted first. Rainwater Harvesting Ltd. declines responsibility for incidents or damage caused by negligence or by ignoring these instructions. Installation according to this installation manual is required for manufacturers' warranties to be valid.

